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OUTLINES.

Henry Clay McDowell appointed U. S. district judge for the western district of Virginia. —— The sugar trust has reduced prices of soft grades ten points. —— The directors of the Adams Express Co. have declared a semi-annual dividend of two dollars per share. —— It will take the official count to determine the result of the recent election in Alabama. —— A returning naval officer from Manila gives particulars of the recent massacre of American soldiers in Samar. —— An American lawyer is said to be endeavoring to secure the release of Aguinaldo by habeas corpus proceedings. —— Oklahoma in 1899 produced 73,011 bales of cotton of 500 pounds each. —— A large number of cotton seed oil men in Mississippi have been indicted by the Federal court grand jury at Jackson. —— Henry Ellis, a negro, was strung up by a mob and afterwards driven out of a mining camp in Nevada. —— The gale on the coast of Great Britain continues; many wrecks with loss of life are reported. —— Burglars robbed a safe in a country store near Macon, Ga. —— The odds are ten to four in favor of Jeffries for the fight with Ruhlin in San Francisco to-morrow; both men are in fine condition. ——New York markets: Money on call firm at 4@5 per cent., the last loan being at 5 per cent.; cotton quiet at 7 15-16c; flour was quiet and easier; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 83½c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 67½c; oats—spot firm, No. 2 46c; rosin firm; spirits turpentine dull.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 13.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 49 degrees; 8 P. M., 49 degrees; maximum, 60 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 0.57 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 3.5 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—For North Carolina: Generally fair Thursday and Friday; light to fresh west to north winds.

Port Almanac—November 14.

Sun Rises	6.35 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.53 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 18 M.
High Water at Southport	9 35 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	11.53 P. M.

A California projector with flowers has produced a daisy which measures twelve inches in circumference. He brags of that as a daisy performance.

According to Poor's Manual there were in this country as the close of 1900 194,321 miles of railroad in operation, in Canada 17,359 miles and in Mexco 5,932 miles.

On their return home from Canada the Duke of York and his wife narrowly escaped some icebergs, but when they got home ran right into an ode by the Poet Laureate.

The Washington *Post*, speaking of Webster Davis' new book on the Boers, says: "There is considerable Davis and precious little Boer in it," which will make it all the more boring.

Fred Wellhouse, the "Apple King" of Kansas, worked for wages as a farm hand in 1875. He has a 1,240 acre orchard now, and will this year market 60,000 bushels of apples.

Marion Butler is one of a company organized for the manufacture and sale of liquified air. A fellow that has been frozen out as hard as Marion has ought to know something about the freeze business.

In Germany an organized effort will be made, backed by the Government, to divert German emigration from the United States to the German colonies in South America, Africa, China and Samoa. The Government is taking an active interest in this.

The sun was in partial eclipse in China a few days ago. The good people helped him out of his trouble by beating tom-toms, gongs, burning incense, prostrating themselves on the earth and other ways they have of assisting in such emergencies. They brought him through all right.

The Vanderbilts and the Astors are coming to the front. One of the Vanderbilts has invented some valuable improvements on the locomotive, and John Jacob Astor has invented a turbine wheel, which he claims to take the shine off the Parson's turbine. He has taken out patents in Europe and in this country.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by Hardin's Palace Pharmacy.

SOUTH'S DAUGHTERS

Eighth Annual Convention, U. D. C., Called to Order Yesterday Morning.

DELIGHTFUL SOCIAL SESSION.

Jefferson Davis Monument Association—Delegates Continue to Arrive—Reception at the Orton—General Notes of the Gathering.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy, the most representative body of the South's womanhood that ever gathered in Wilmington, assembled in its eighth annual convention in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, this city, yesterday morning at 10:40 o'clock, Mrs. Edwin Gardner Weed, of Jacksonville, Fla., presiding, and more than 200 delegates and visitors, representing every Southern State, and many of the North, being in attendance.

Two sessions were held during the day, one in the morning, at which the Daughters were formally welcomed as guests of Cape Fear Chapter, of this city, as guests of Wilmington and as guests of the State, and another in the afternoon, which was principally taken up in the matter of arranging credentials.

The convention was formally called to order by Mrs. Weed, who expressed pleasure at having the eighth annual meeting in Wilmington and at the very creditable number of representatives present. This was followed by the rendition of "Our Southland," a composition of Miss Dunnovant, of Texas, by the following ladies of Wilmington, Mrs. A. M. Waddell presiding at the organ: Mesdames Bryan, Watters, Smith, Waddell, Carmichael, Misses Hart, Foster, Adrian and Horne. The entire convention joined in the chorus with splendid effect.

A very fervent prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. James Carmichael, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, of Wilmington, and then followed one of the most pleasing incidents of the session. Mrs. Cornelia B. Stone, of Galveston, presented to the United Daughters in behalf of Mrs. Mollie MacGill Rosenberg, president of the Jefferson Chapter, of Galveston, a beautiful silk flag designed from the first one adopted by the Confederacy, as a memorial to her father and mother, Dr. Charles MacGill and Mrs. Ragan MacGill, of Maryland. The staff of the banner was surmounted by a Maltese cross, the emblem of Maryland, the native State of Dr. and Mrs. MacGill. It was received by Mrs. Weed, the president, in words very appropriate and highly befitting the beautiful sentiment which prompted the gift.

Another very pleasing incident took place also at this juncture, when Mrs. Weed formally introduced to the convention Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, of Charlotte, who is the guest of Mrs. Gabriel Holmes. Mrs. Jackson was received with the wildest demonstration of enthusiasm and applause, the convention rising to its feet and a contingent of veterans in the room shouting with hearty good cheer the rebel yell, so famous in history and so discordant to their foe in battle. Mrs. Jackson gracefully acknowledged the honor and expressed pleasure at being present upon the occasion.

This was followed by a very cordial welcome address by Mrs. W. M. Parsley, president of Cape Fear Chapter of this city, who expressed great pleasure at having the Daughters to hold their convention in Wilmington.

A male quartette, composed of Messrs. Cooper, Banks, Williams and Holden, with Mr. E. H. Munson as accompanist, then sang "My Old Kentucky Home," which was received with applause.

Col. A. M. Waddell, mayor of Wilmington, then welcomed the daughters to the city in one of his characteristic happy speeches, which is published in another column.

Mrs. Weed made the response in behalf of the visiting daughters in most happy manner, and expressed great pleasure in being with the people of Wilmington for the convention. Her address was couched in pretty language and was most fitting in reply to the words of welcome so elegantly expressed by Mrs. Parsley and Col. Waddell.

Just prior to Mrs. Weed's address, Mrs. E. K. Bryan, of this city, was introduced as a grand daughter of the distinguished Confederate, Maj. James Reilly, and she sang with great effect and much sweetness, "A Southern Girl's Lament" with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Waddell.

The address was followed by a delightful rendition of "Annie Laurie" by a double quartette consisting of Mesdames Bryan, Smith, Watters, Waddell, Carmichael; Misses Hart, Foster and Adrian.

Upon the conclusion of this number, Miss Mary F. Meares, of Wilmington, corresponding secretary of the U. D. C., introduced North Carolina's distinguished Governor Chas. B. Aycock, who responded in a happy speech in which he said it was an unexpected delight for him to address the Daughters but he welcomed them to the "Old North State" and among a people who were loyal to the Confederacy and the sentiment which actuated the distinguished body before him. Governor Aycock's speech was in an exceedingly happy vein and was received with great attention and much pleasure by the convention.

One of the most inspiring musical numbers on the excellently prepared programme was the "Bonnie Blue Flag," which was charmingly rendered by Miss Horne, of Wilmington, who was in splendid voice and sung to great effect and with much spirit.

The last address of the morning was an excellent one, and by one of the most gifted and most active members of the U. D. C.—Miss Adelia A. Dunnovant, historian of the Texas Division. Her subject was "Principles in Their Relation to Human Action," and her address as a whole was an able defence of the secession of the States from the Union. Is was well received by the convention and was concluded amid much applause.

Just before the close of the session Mrs. W. H. Overman, president of the North Carolina Division, was presented and made a few remarks which were received with applause and as a cordial greeting from the State she so ably represents.

A number of announcements were then read by Miss Meares, among the number being an invitaton from the Colonial Dames to visit their rooms in the Masonic Temple and from the Elks extending the courtesies of their Temple to the visitors.

The Afternoon Business Session.

It was expected that the convention would be organized for business at the afternoon session, which was called to order by the president at 3:30 o'clock, but such was not the case. A number of Divisions were tardy in presenting their credentials to the committee and a controversy arose among several of the delegations as to the representation to which they were entitled by number of members in convention. A discussion as to the merits of the several controversies whiled away the entire afternoon and the convention at length adjourned to receive the full report of the Credentials Committee this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Davis Monument Association.

One of the principal matters to engage the sessions to-day is a report from the Jefferson Davis Monument Association, of which Mrs. Norman V. Randolph, of Richmond, is secretary. The Association has now legally become an organization of the U. D. C., and at a meeting in Richmond last week the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. S. Thomas McCullough, of Staunton, Va.

Vice President—Mrs. Edwin G. Weed, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Treasurer—Mrs. E. D. Taylor, of Richmond, Va.

Secretary—Mrs. Norman V. Randolph, of Richmond, Va.

Bonded Treasurer—Mr. John S. Elleti, of Richmond, Va.

Directors—Mrs. Chas. G. Brown, Alabama; Mrs. R. C. Cooley, Florida; Mrs. Jas. A. Rounsaville, Georgia; Mrs. Basil W. Duke, Kentucky; Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Missouri; Miss Mary Harrison, Mississippi; Miss E. W. Hall, Maryland; Mrs. T. J. Latham, Tennessee; Mrs. R. M. Rosenberg, Texas; Mrs. Jas. G. Leigh, Virginia; Mrs. J. Pickney Smith, Louisiana; Mrs. Albert Akers, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. W. J. Behan, of the Confederate Southern Memorial Association, of New Orleans.

A director from West Virginia is yet to be selected.

At a meeting of the association yesterday afternoon the election of the officers was confirmed, and reports were heard from each State. They were all encouraging, and members promised faithful work during the ensuing year. The amount already in hand is about $38,000, and the association hopes to raise $75,000. The central committee, which has a large part of the immediate work to accomplish, is composed of Mrs. Randolph (chairman), Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. B. A. Blenner, all of Richmond.

At the convention to-day each one of the States will be asked to name an artist to make a design for the monument. Another meeting of the committee will be held at 9 o'clock this morning for the purpose of arranging preliminaries prior to the meeting of the convention half an hour later.

Social Function Last Evening.

The visiting Daughters were the guests of Cape Fear Chapter, of Wilmington, at a delightful reception last night at The Orion from 9 to 12 o'clock. The reception was held in the parlors of the hotel, which were profusely decorated and brilliantly lighted for the occasion. The receiving party was composed of the officers of the United Daughters, officers of Cape Fear Chapter and Mrs. Stonewall Jackson.

Excellent music was furnished during the progress of the reception by Hollowbush's Orchestra and refreshments were served in the large dining room of the holstery to several hundred guests.

Among the distinguished guests of the occasion was Governor Aycock, who attended with Mr. and Mrs. George Rountree.

There were also present as guests of honor the Wilmington Light Infantry, in Confederate grey uniform, with white helmets. The members of Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., were also guests of honor, and attended in uniform. They received many charming attentions from the local and visiting Daughters.

Delegates Who Registered Yesterday.

A large number of delegates and visitors, who failed to register the day before, or who did not arrive until yesterday, were recorded at the Information Bureau last night as follows:

Miss Nannie Bradley, of Savannah, Ga., with Mrs. C. S. Grainger, South Fifth street.

Mesdames George Henderson, F. C. Roberts and John Dunn, Newbern, N. C., at The Orton.

Mesdames T. H. Harllee and V. C. Taarh, of Florence, S. C., with Mrs. Payne.

Miss D. Lamar West, of Waco, Tex.; Miss Sue Collier, Goldsboro, and Mrs. Frank Borden, of Goldsboro, at The Orton.

Mrs. W. O. Shannon, of Henderson, N. C., with Mrs. T. B. Kingsbury.

Mrs. B. Herring, of Wilson; Mrs. Benjamin Huske, of Fayetteville, with Mrs. M. S. Willard.

Mrs. L. Eustuce Williams, of Louisville, Ky., at The Orton.

Miss Athelia Serpell, of Norfolk, with Mrs. John R. Kenly.

Miss Sarah Manly, of Baltimora, with Mrs. W. L. DeRosset.

Mrs. George Henderson and Mrs. John Dunn, of Newbern, with Mrs. Lilly.

Mrs. M. M. Albright, of Alexandria, Va.; Miss Timberlake, of Staunton, Va.; Mrs. M. H. Jones, of Durham, and Mrs. F. A. Olds, Raleigh, N. C., at The Orton and with friends.

Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyson, of Richmond, with Mrs. Emerson at No. 510 Dock street.

Miss Julia A. M. Lee, Miss M. A. Baughman and Miss M. B. Baughman, of Richmond, with Mrs. Emerson, No. 510 Dock street.

Miss Lillian E. Shine, of Orlando, Fla., with Mrs. Emerson, No. 510 Dock street.

Mesdames Thos. W. Henderson, James Y. Leigh and Mrs. Thos. Willcox, of Norfolk, with friends and at The Orton.

Mrs. William Robert Vawter, of Richmond, with Mrs. F. H. Fechtig.

Mrs. Sally D. Rawlings, of Wilson, Mrs. Henry M. Daniel, of Philadelphia, with Mrs. T. H. McKoy, Front and Orange streets.

Mrs. A. R. Taylor, Water Valley, Miss., at The Orton.

Mrs. May P. Hudson, of Cincinnati; Mrs. T. M. Worcester, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Cowles Myles Collier, of New York, at The Orton.

Mrs. L. D. Heartt, of Durham, with friends at No. 619 Orange street.

Among the visitors to the city and attending the convention are: Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Gould Weed, of Jacksonville; Mrs. T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville; Mrs. Harry Skinner, of Greensboro; Mrs. Owen Haywood Guion, of Newbern; Miss Mary T. Oliver, of Newbern; Miss Mary Emma Taarh, of Florence; Miss Garland Jones, of Raleigh; Mrs. Hunter Griffin, of Galveston, Tex.; Mrs. Lockwood Jones and Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, of Charlotte; Mrs. Owen S. Willey, of Alexandria, Va.; Mrs. R. C. Carson and Mrs. J. A. Fore, of Charlotte; Mrs. Thos. H. Blount, of Washington, N. C.

Gemeral Convention Notes.

Mrs. W. L. Hill, of Warsaw, arrived yesterday to attend the convention and is the guest of Mrs. R. D. Crouly.

Mrs. W. H. Jones, of Durham, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLaurin, No. 609 Orange street. She is one of the delegates to the convention.

Mrs. Loh Miller Vawter, of Richmond, a delegate to the convention, is the guest of Mrs. F. H. Fechtig.

Mrs. Dr. Thomas Cobb, of Opelika, Ala., who is here to attend the convention is the guest of Rev. P. C. Morton.

Many Wilmington people, including Confederate Veterans, are attending the sessions and manifesting a lively interest in the proceedings.

No better auditorium could have been selected than that of the Y. M. C. A. It is convenient in every appointment and sufficiently large to accommodate all the delegates and a large number of visitors.

Miss Stella Shrier was a valuable assistant to the secretary yesterday afternoon in making a stenographic report of the proceedings.

Attractive programmes of the convention were being distributed to members yesterday. It is neatly printed in pamphlet form and on the first page of the cover of each is a plate reproduction of the bombardment of Fort Fisher. On the last page is a Confederate emblem printed in colors.

Quite a number of the visitors were received yesterday afternoon by the Colonial Dames at their room in the Masonic Temple, No. 9. The Dames will be glad to receive others this afternoon and evening from 5 until 7 o'clock.

Cape Fear Camp No. 354, U. C. V., of this city, has been invited to attend the reception at the W. L. I. armory to-night and those who attend are requested to wear their uniforms.

Two business sessions of the convention will be held to-day at 9:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. To-morrow the visiting Daughters will be the guests of Cape Fear Chapter for an outing at the beach.

The Wilmington Light Infantry extends a most cordial reception to all the delegates, alternates and visitors to the convention to attend the reception to be given at their armory on Market street from 9 to 12 o'clock to-night. Members of the Reserve Corps and Veterans will also be cordially received.

Colored Insane.

William Flowers, colored, who was recently taken into custody by the police, has been duly adjudged insane by a commission of lunacy and has been placed in jail pending his removal to the Goldsboro hospital for the colored insane. The colored woman, Carter, who was recently reported as having been removed to the County Home, has been admitted to the asylum at Goldsboro.

Merchants' Association.

The annual meeting of the Merchants' Association was postponed yesterday afternoon until Tuesday afternoon, same hour, November 19th. A full attendance is urged, as business of importance is to be transacted.

WORDS OF WELCOME.

Address of Hon. A. M. Waddell to United Daughters of the Confederacy.

RESPONSE BY MRS. WEED.

President of the General Convention, in Choice Diction, Replied to Greetings From the Cape Fear—Wilmington and the South.

Among the splendid addresses delivered yesterday upon the opening of the eighth annual convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in this city, none was received with more marked attention or greeted with warmer applause than that of Col. A. M. Waddell in welcoming the Daughters to Wilmington and that of Mrs. Edwin Gardner Weed, president of the U. D. C., in response. The addresses were as follows:

"MADAME PRESIDENT AND LADIES—I esteem it an honor and a privilege to welcome you, on behalf of the good people of Wilmington, to the hospitalities of this city.

"You are on ground as historic as any in America, although, by a strange fate, the facts which make it so have been generally unknown to the people of the othr States. Among these facts, which have long been established beyond the possibility of controversy, are these:

"Sixteen miles below Wilmington on the West bank of the Cape Fear river where the ruins of St. Philip's Church still stand on the site of the colonial town of Brunswick, the first armed resistance to British oppression on this continent occurred on the 28th November, 1765, when the Stamp Act was killed by men with guns in their hands. This was more than ten years before the Revolution, and nine years before the Boston Tea Party.

"Eighteen miles above Wilmington the first victory of the American Revolution, (and a most important one) was won at Moore's Creek Bridge on the 27th February, 1776. And yet a year ago when an appropriation was asked from Congress to commemorate the event, so distinguished a New Englander as Senator Hoar of Massachusetts, declared that he had never so much as heard of Moore's Creek Bridge.

"Twenty miles below Wilmington, on the opposite side of the river from Old Brunswick, and just one hundred years after the Stamp Act affair there, the most terrific bombardment since the invention of gunpowder occurred when Fort Fisher fell, and the last hope of the Confederacy perished. I myself heard an English naval officer, who was at the siege of Sebastopol and also at Fort Fisher, say that the artillery fire at Sebastopol was the greatest in the history of the world up to that time, but that it was child's play compared to Fort Fisher.

"I might continue the recital of historical events which have occurred in this vicinity, but will not trespass upon your patience and upon the brief time allotted to us for the performance of this pleasant duty by doing so. Rather let us utter a few thoughts which your presence here and the name of your organization suggest.

"As one who bore an humble part in the military service of the Confederacy I reverently salute you the wives, and sisters, and daughters of my comrades, the noblest army of heroines and patriots that ever trod the earth. As a North Carolinian I greet you with honest pride in the fact (which is sometimes forgotten) that North Carolina, although but one of eleven seceding States and by no means the largest of them, contributed about one-fifth of the soldiers of the Confederate army—that she lost about one-fourth of those killed in battle, more than one fourth of those who died of wounds, and one-third of those who died of disease—that one of her regiments bore the flag farthest into the enemy's territory; that one of her sons commanded the only ship that carried it around the world, and that when the end came, both at Appomattox and at Greensboro, she stacked more rifles than any other State of the Confederacy. We, therefore, have certainly as much interest in everything pertaining to the Confederacy as others, and may claim it without injustice to them or to the truth of history.

"Your organization is unique in human annals, as was the struggle whose memories you seek to preserve. The dreamer and sentimentalist may fold his hands, and, with a sigh exclaim that History will do justice between the parties to that struggle, but experience has shown that History, like Providence, helps those only who help themselves, and will honor only those who help her to record the truth. There is not one of you who will not readily admit that if the Southern people had remained silent, and had used no printer's ink after the war, they would have been pilloried in history as rebels and traitors who had, causelessly and without the shadow of excuse, drenched the the land with the blood of unoffending patriots. But the Southern people did not remain silent; they published in a thousand forms the truth, both as to the causes which impelled them to assert their rights, and as to the battles in which they maintained them, and have thus made a partial unjust, and one-sided history impossible. In this work the Memorial Association first, and after them the United Daughters of the Confederay, have been most helpful and devoted, and they may justly claim a large share of the credit for successfully vindicating before the world the cause in which their Southern countrymen engaged, and in which thousands of them sacrificed their lives.

"In pursuance of this work you have honored this city by your presence, and therefore you are doubly welcome to the hearts and homes of our people. You can find no community in which the memories of the Confederacy are more tenderly cherished, or in which the heroic achievements of the Confederate soldiers are more proudly remembered, than this; and no community, therefore, where your labors will meet with more cordial co operation, or more sincere and heartfelt sympathy. Here and there in the South may be found one who will question the wisdom of preserving an organization like yours, but he will not be found to be one of those who followed the conquered banner or heard the ringing of the guns. Every true soldier is always ready to uncover head and heart in the presence of such unswerving constancy and devotion as yours. Would that I could frame a fitting tribute to it, but the attempt would be vain. It has been the theme of countless tongues more eloquent than mine, but still, like the heavenly realm from which it draws its inspiration, its true beauties are beyond the power of tongue or pen to tell.

"I trust, ladies, that your deliberations may be entirely harmonious and may result in the advancement of the interests you have in charge, that you may find your stay in Wilmington in every way agreeable, and may carry away with you only pleasant recollections of your visit to this little city by the sea. And now again in behalf of our people I bid you a hearty welcome and an earnest God speed in your pious work."

Mrs. Weed said in reply:

"We, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, delegates and visiting members, thank you for your cordial words of welcome. We are an overwhelmingly large body to take possession of your beautiful city, but we come in love and well assured of the hospitality that never fails. In the homes of North Carolina, from time immemorial, the stranger within the gates has ever been the honored and favored guest. It was that lovely home life in the history of the Old South, where kindness was the law of the household, and where lessons of love and tenderness and honesty and courage were the daily teachings that made our men the heroes and giants of the great four years' struggle. From these homes of North Carolina came the men who made for her this glorious record. The first at Bethel, the last at Appomattox. You all know the story, but we glory in it and love to tell it. In the great charge at Balaklava, at which Tennyson said 'all the world wondered,' England lost 37½ per cent. of her men; in the charge of the North Carolina division at Gettysburg, 55 per cent of her men were left upon the field of battle. It was the home life in the old North State that gave these men the courage to do and dare all for the principles they had learned at their mother's side. To these homes we have come thankfully, accepting your gracious invitation. The same law of loving kindness rules the home life, and so the past and present are graciously linked in charming hospitality. We, the women of the South, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, with a grateful appreciation of that hospitality, and a realising sense of the courtesy and cordiality extended to us, would thank each one of the charming entertainers to whom we are so indebted. To each one, your gallant Governor, and Mayor, your charming women and brave men, we would express the gratitude and appreciation we feel for all you have done for us. Time can never take from us the pleasant memories of Wilmington and her people."

"BLIND TOM" TO-NIGHT.

Eminent Colored Pianist Will Be Seen at the Opera House.

There is probably no other pianist living to day so well known as the wonderful "Blind Tom." He has travelled not only in every State in the Union but has been heard in nearly every civilized country and has been pronounced by all nations and tongues the most wonderful musical prodigy ever born.

Although totally blind and without musical education he performs the most difficult compositions known to pianists, his memory being nothing short of marvellous. Prominent musicians will be invited to play for him after which he will repeat note for note. Seats are now obtainable at Gerken's, 50 cents being the highest price. A matinee and evening concert will also be given to-morrow.

FUNERAL OF MR. H. VON GLAHN.

Conducted Yesterday Morning From Late Residence—Interment in Oakdale.

The funeral of the late Henry Von Glahn was conducted at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning from the residence at southwest corner of Fifth and Princess streets. A large gathering of friends of the deceased and family were present and the services were impressively conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

The following were the pall bearers: Honorary, Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, Dr. F. H. Russell, Messrs. B. F. Hall and H. Vollers; active, Messrs. P. Heinsberger, W. H. Chadbourn, C. M. Whitlock, C. W. Polvogt, J. C. Lodor and R. H. Pickett.

Placing Additional Beacons.

The United States buoy tender *Wistaria*, Capt. Johnson, arrived in port yesterday and will be engaged for ten days in placing additional beacons in the Cape Fear, a petition for which was recently made by the Chamber of Commerce. Yesterday afternoon the crew of the vessel placed a first class can buoy at Bald Head Point, where the rock projects into the stream.

Handsome Yacht In Port.

The handsome little yacht *Dixie* belonging to Rev. Thos. Dixon, of New York, was in port yesterday for a few hours for supplies. She has a splendid rig with auxiliary naptha machinery and has great speed.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Prayer meeting service at the First Presbyterian Church this evening will begin at 7:45 o'clock.

— The Weather Bureau yesterday sent out warning messages for this section as follows: "Fair to-night, with frost Thursday; partly cloudy, light to fresh winds."

— The Y. M. C. A. basket ball team met at 6 P. M. yesterday and had good practice in the gymnasium in preparation for the opening season. The team won the cup last year and still holds it. It will strive to do so again this season.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Opera House—Blind Tom.
Vollers & Hashagen—Do you?
E. Warren & Son—Fancy fruits.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.

Many Additions to the Y. M. C. A. As Result of Spirited Canvass.

The Junior membership contest at the Y. M. C. A., which has been on between two selected teams of the Association for the past two months, closed Tuesday night with the "Whites" as winners over the "Pinks" in a score of 143½ to 136½.

Captain Walter McIntire, of the "Whites," won the the gold medal for securing the largest number of new members—39. The next highest was James Wade, who secured 17. He was awarded a handsome Y. M. C. A. badge button. Richard Green and August Christofersen also won bronze medals for distinguished service.

Very soon a banquet will be given at the Y. M. C. A. at which a silver loving cup will be presented to the winning team.

Y. M. C. A. WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Morning—Very Encouraging Report.

Many matters of a routine character were transacted at the regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., which was held in the association building yesterday morning. Mrs. C. C. Covington presided, and there was a good attendance.

The committee on constitution and by-laws reported, and the regulations presented by it were adopted. The committee on furnishing the parlors, reading rooms, halls, etc., also made a report, which was highly satisfactory. The membership committee reported ten applications for membership.

DEATH OF MISS CHADBOURN.

She Passed Away at Home of Her Parents Early This Morning.

As the STAR goes to press this morning, the news of the death of Miss Blanche King Chadbourn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chadbourn, Jr., is received. Her death occurred at the home of her parents, No. 323 South Front street, shortly after midnight and the very sad intelligence will come to hundreds of friends here and elsewhere as a message of deep sorrow.

Miss Chadbourn was recently a student of St. Mary's College, Raleigh, but left that institution a little more than a week ago with an attack of fever, which resulted in her death this morning.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

CHATHAM COAL AND IRON CO.

Temporary Injunction Dismissed By Order of Judge Purnell.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 13.—Judge Purnell to-day dismissed the temporary injunction restraining the newly organized Chatham Coal and Iron Company now operating the Cumnock coal mines, from selling or hypothecating its recently authorized bonds and stocks or disposing of funds on hand. The injunction was issued at the instance of H. M. Hayes and W. P. Henszey, of Pennsylvania, by whom the property was conveyed to the new company. The charge was that the company was diverting to other purposes the proceeds from the sale of bonds which by agreement should go to complainants to secure liquidation of the balance of the purchase price.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Messrs. A. Hoffman and J. Norman, of the Atlantic Fisheries Companies, are here for a few days.

— Mr. Frank Sessoms of Point Caswell, and Mr. Edward Sessoms, of Stedman, were in the city yesterday.

— Mr. J. S. Bryan, chief engineer of the buoy tender *Wistaria*, is greeting his hosts of friends in the city.

— Mrs. D. H. Jenkins and children of Caroleen, N. C., arrived yesterday and will spend the winter in Wilmington. Mr. Jenkins, who is a prominent cotton mill man, will join them later.

— Mr. J. W. Barnes, representing a Baltimore commission house, arrived yesterday and is being cordially greeted by his hosts of friends here. Mr. Barnes spent the past several months in Baltimore and now has headquarters in that city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 12th, 1901.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company have declared a dividend of two and one half (2½) per cent. on the preferred capital stock of the company. Dividend due and payable at the office of the Treasurer at Wilmington, N. C., on November 15th, 1901.

The transfer books will stand closed from November 8th to 15th inclusive.

JAMES F. POST, Secretary.

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Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 12, 1901.

The regular Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Richmond, Va., on Monday, the 18th day of November, A. D. 1901, at 12 o'clock M.

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BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 14.

CHILD LABOR IN THE SOUTH

Within the past few years labor in the Southern cotton mills has attracted considerable attention in the North. There has been a good deal of discussion of long hours, or the long day's work in the South, and our Northern friends who are interested in the milling industry seem to think that it is all wrong to crowd twelve or fourteen hours into a day's work down here while ten hours constitute a day's work up there. But in this case it isn't sympathy with the Southern mill operatives who do the long day's work, but the pockets of the mill men which inspire the discussion. The same inspiration is doubtless a factor in the discussion of child labor because some of them, at least, have an idea that this child labor has much to do with cheap production in the South and consequently they would like to see it abolished. Whether it has or not we do not know, but we do know that a good many mill men in this State do not like that kind of labor and employ it reluctantly. They do not think there is economy in it if they had no other objection.

This subject has also been considerably discussed in the South where there is a growing disposition to dispense as far as possible with child labor, but we were not aware of the fact that the movement to dispense with it had encountered so much opposition from Northern men who have money invested in Southern mills until we read the following editorial in the New York *Tribune*, which says:

"Every new manufacturing community has to face the question of child labor. For a hundred years England, in her factories and mines, drained the life out of her little children until, under the leadership of the Earl of Shaftesbury, the awful white slavery was stopped. The mills of New England long employed boys and girls of tender years, but the popular conscience was finally aroused to realize that the toleration of such a system meant deterioration of population, mentally, morally and physically. Now the Southern States are confronted by the problem of saving their children from the grinding of the fast developing cotton mills.

"The manufacturers have gone into the South ahead of the laws which protected the young where they had previously been operating. The chance to use cheap labor is so attractive that they take advantage of this license afforded them. On the other hand, the communities where they are established are poor and the chance to turn the children's capacity for work into ready money offers a temptation well-nigh irresistible. But it must be resisted and the mill owners must be restricted, or the industrial development of which the South is so proud will prove to be a curse instead of a blessing. The wise men of the South are already awake to the danger to their region and to the whole country in the large percentage of white illiteracy. The only hope of a democracy is an intelligent population, and if the children, already insufficiently schooled, are to be in increasing numbers worn out in the mills, instead of being taught, a degraded community must be the result. Few realize how great the evil has grown. In South Carolina twelve thousand, or 25 per cent. of the cotton mill operatives, working sixty six hours a week, are children under four teen years old. In Georgia, Alabama and other States the proportion is not so large, but it is alarming. In some mills children of eight and nine years are employed, working long hours, and children's wages range from 10 to 50 cents a day. In some instances families of adults have been found living in idleness on the labor of young children. Nor are these shiftless colored people, for the factory operatives are almost all white.

"Of course, such unnatural parents, and others who work themselves, but in their ignorance do not see why their children should not share their hard lot, object to prohibitive laws The manufacturers who with the aid of child labor are able to declare 60 per cent. dividends also object. Defenders of the system declare that it does not hurt the children. The experience of the whole world testifies to the contrary. The full measure of harm is not yet seen in the South. The present child workers have naturally vigorous constitutions. Their farthers and mothers led healthy outdoor lives. The boys and girls may not yet be broken down, though investigators find many individual cases of invalidism; but if their vitality is sapped by long hours of factory work when they should be at play and in school, their children will pay the penalty, and if they in turn are set to work in childhood the South will see reproduced the sickly, miserable, crime breeding race which has disgraced every manufacturing country that long tolerated child labor.

"Louisiana and Tennessee have enacted laws to protect children, but in the other States little or nothing has been done. Nor is it entirely their fault, though the responsibility for tolerating the vicious system rests primarily on their own people. To the shame of the North be it said, the chief obstacle to the passage of reform legislation is Northern money and influence. At the last session of the Alabama legislature a bill to give children such protection as they have in Massachusetts was agressively opposed and defeated by the salaried agent of Massachusetts capital interested in Southern mills. Public spirited men in the South are doing their best to enlighten and uplift their people. Their task is hard enough without Northern opposition. In Alabama a committee of leading citizens, among whom are ex-Gov. Jones, recently appointed a Federal judge by President Roosevelt, and the Rev. Edgar Gardiner Murphy, whose work to bring about a better understanding of the race problem is well known, have joined in an appeal to Northern people for aid in restricting child labor. They ask, and justly, that Northern sentiment make effective protest to the Northern men who, for their own profit, are trying to force hardships on Southern children which the laws of their own States would not permit. Humanity's claims are not lessened by distance. It is intolerable that men should be regarded with favor by their neighbors who fight to perpetuate wrongs in Alabama which they would disgrace themselves by introducing at home. The conscience of the North should awake to stop the exploitation of Southern childhood to make dividends for Northern pockets."

The *Tribune* seems to take a good deal of interest in the children employed in the mills and is, perhaps, sincere in the interest in their behalf and in the rebuke to the greed of the Northern men who have stood as an obstacle in the way of dispensing with child labor; but while we, as thousands of Southern people, whether interested in the mills or not, are opposed to child labor, there is more excuse for and defence of it in the South than there would be in the North. In all the Southern milling States, where the mills have increased in number so rapidly, there is a large negro population, between a third and a half black. The mills being worked by white people exclusively, they must depend upon the white population, and as many of these mills are in the rural districts and in small towns, which grew up around the factories, they must draw on the farms for their help. They have a sparse population to draw from, which sometimes necessitates taking children, for very often they can't get the parents without taking the children. In the North, on the contrary, most of the mills are in large towns, where labor is abundant, and there is no occasion for any color line.

This goes a long way in explaining why so much child labor is employed in the South, but this never occurs to the people on the other side of the line who take so much interest in that subject and indulge in so many strictures. But perhaps if the Northern men, to whom the *Tribune* refers, who have been taking a hand in this business would keep hands off we might settle it easier and sooner, as we would also settle the race question or if those who take so much interest in the "rights" of the negro would keep hands off.

A COLD WET BLANKET.

Great Britain has run up against a very tough proposition in South Africa. Undoubtedly if he had any previous conception of its toughness John Bull would not have tackled it, but having tackled it he can't drop it, and must tug it out although it is straining him awfully. The position in which he finds himself with the present and prospective perplexities, are thus, in part, stated in an editorial, which we clip from the Philadelphia *Press*, which says:

"It is not easy to see how Lord Salisbury could be cheerful at the third Guildhall banquet held since the Boer war began. The noble Marquis expected long ago to be congratulating his faithful Londoners on the close of the war and the pacification of the Boer States. It is true the war has been officially concluded by proclamation and interview a number of times. But this affords the head of a great State small comfort when recruits are still being sent out, conscription is in sight and a conflict that had cost nearly $1,000,000,000 in October, according to a Liberal leader's estimates, is still running up a bill of $6,000,000 a week, to say nothing of the losses to life and property.

"The curious part about Lord Salisbury's speech is his complaint that the criticisms of the Government's opposers are "vague and indefinite." On the contrary, the criticisms of the opposition have been at times altogether too definite. For one thing, the critics have been unsparing in pointing out the personal and systematic defects of the War Office—an office that hurried the nation into a war almost lightheartedly and with what is now seen to have been a childish lack of preparation. Of course, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Wyndham, the Under Secretary for War, and the other Tory leaders now pretend they knew all along that the war would be long and costly. But the addresses made in Parliament in October, 1899, do not bear them out. On the contrary it was generally held the war would last about four months and would pass its critical stage even earlier. This is, of course, the usual optimism that prevails among most people, but it is ridiculous for those who so believed and so expressed themselves in 1899 to try to get out of it now.

"Lord Salisbury's critics have really been very specific. They forced him to drop Buller, they are now after him on the iniquity of the 'concentration camps,' and yet he and his subordinates have nothing to say in reply. Under the circumstances his Guildhall address is a cold, wet blanket on Tory enthusiasm, since it promises vague achievements, but meets none of the real issues the war has raised, either in England or in South Africa."

We quote this because the *Press* is an expansion advocate and defender, which believes in forcible expansion, "benevolent assimilation" and all that kind of thing in the Philippines. With a slight change in phraseology and some in the figures, this article would apply to the war in the Philippines quite as aptly as it does to the war in South Africa.

The Washington war managers held out the idea that the war there would never amount to anything, that the "insurgents" were a comparatively small number of men who would soon be brought to terms, and they have repeatedly officially announced that the war was at end, and yet we have spent about $250,000,000 in that war, which has been going on for nearly three years, and to-day there are outbreaks where there was peace six months ago. Our civil and military authorities in the islands have resorted to drastic and Draconic measures to terrorize the people and crush opposition, such as driving the people into towns, starving them, burning houses in the country and trying men for treason, banishing the wives of Filipino cammanders, and other stern methods that we so indignantly denounced when done by Weyler in Cuba, and unsparingly condemed when done by Kitchener in South Africa. We have no longer ground for denunciation or condemnation when we are imitating the methods of Weyler and Kitchener. But neither Weyler nor Kitchener ever prated about "benevolent assimilation."

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MUCH IN LITTLE.

A private letter from President Winston of the Agricultural and Mechanical College to the editor of THE STAR contains the following, which, although not intended for publication, we publish because it contains texts enough for articles to fill a fair sized book:

"North Carolina has plenty of resources, but they are not developed, and they will not be developed without intelligent work, hard work, skilled work, economy and plenty of technical knowledge.

"If I can only get a little money I will have a thousand boys here at college, and will sow good seed all over the States.

"We must educate *our own* people to develop *our own* resources, instead of begging for foreign capital.

"We are exhibiting to the rest of the world a few samples of apples, pears, etc., and *buying daily from the rest of the world* apples and pears and other things we need."

The facts as stated herein and the assertions based on them are apparent to every intelligent North Carolinian who has given any thought to the subject or our material development and progress. We must learn, if we have not already done so, as the people of all the Southern States must do, the lesson of self reliance, and mutual co-operation. There is no State in the South which furnishes stronger proof of what may be accomplished by persistent and courageous effort than our own, where nine-tenths of the industrial progress made is the result of home effort and home capital.

As illustrations take the furniture-making industry, which has become immense, and our cotton mills, in which we now lead every Southern State in number if not capacity. These are nearly all based on "home capital." Had we waited for outside capital there would be few cotton mills and no furniture manufactories. But in development in a general way we have not fairly made a beginning.

While we have done much that we should have done, we are also still doing much that we should not do, and are de pending on others for many things, as President Winston says, which we can produce and do produce at home, although not in sufficient quantity to meet the ordinary demands. In a country as favored as this, there is no excuse for importing things we eat, and must have, when with our fertile soil, climatic advantages and reasonable thrift, we could be exporters of these things.

Two practical jokers near Scranton, Pa., played a joke on a dog the other day, which did't turn out to be as funny as they thought it would be. They fastened a dynamite stick to the dog's back, attached a four foot fuse to it, tied the dog to a tree, fired the fuse and then ran off to a safe distance to enjoy the fun. But the sizzing of the fuse scared the dog, which broke the rope and made a bee line for the two men. They couldn't run as fast as the dog could so they struck on the ruse of separating, standing still and each calling the dog and thus managed to keep him at some distance from each. They could see the burning fuse and when the fuse was about to reach the dynamite stick they dropped flat on the ground. The dog was about half way between them when the explosion took place. He was blown to atoms, but the other two brutes escaped unhurt.

One of the cutest jobs recently put up on a street railway was by the town council of Collenwood, a suburb of Cleveland, Ohio. The road wanted to extend its line to Nottingham, forty miles distant, and wanted a franchise to run through Collenwood. But the Collenwood council refused the franchise until the railroad agreed to give the denizens of their burg, which has a population of about 3,000, a nickel fare from one end of the road to the other, and now the burgers have the cheapest car-riding in the world—forty miles for a nickel.

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A "wild man from Borneo", who was carried all over Europe in a big cage, in which he was confined for seven months, visited the American consul at Berlin the other day and told his experiences as a wild man. He was a Virginia negro who got stranded at Hamburg last month, met a show man, and hired out to play the wild man of Borneo. They put a ring in his nose, stripped off his clothes, and put on a primitive, savage Borneo suit, and to make him perform like a sure enough wild man jabbed pitchforks and other pointed instruments into him. A couple weeks ago his "master" died and one morning he found himself deserted and the cage unlocked. Then he gathered himself together and made his way to the American consul who provided him with transportation back to Virginia, which he prefers to Germany.

CURRENT COMMENT.

— The proposition to maintain the tariff taxes on sugar, iron ore, iron and steel, wool and other Trust fattening objects and to cut down taxation on beer and whiskey will be pushed by a powerful lobby maintained by the interests affected. but it will be a dangerous trifling with public opinion.—*Phil. Record, Dem.*

— The native Filipinos have gone into practical politics and started "organizations" are learning the tricks of the trade rapidly. The convention of the so-called Federal party is now in session at Manila, and its procedings are characterized by turbulent scenes of disorder verging at times on open rioting.—*Philadelphia Telegraph, Rep.*

— Tariff excitement intensifies as the time for the assembling of Congress approaches, but there is no classification of the situation. "Confusion worse confounded" is perhaps the best descriptive phrase that can be applied to it, and that confounding will reach the superlative degree when the House of Representatives is organized and Congress settles down to business.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

— The Sugar Trust and other reciprocity Republicans are likely to have a hard time with their schemes this winter. Senator Foster, of the State of Washington, has been talking with the President. "The people of his State," he said, "were opposed to the Argentine treaty on account of the reduction in the treaty on wool, and the fruit growers of California would resist the treaties with the West Indian dependencies on account of the effect in citrus fruits, while the beet and cane sugar interests would oppose any concession to the sugar growers of Cuba."—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

Presiding Elder's Appointments, Wilmington District.

Burgaw church, Burgaw, Nov. 13.
Jacksonville and Richlands, Richlands, Nov. 15.
Onslow, Tabernacle, Nov. 16, 17.
Scott's Hill church, Scott's Hill Nov. 18.
Waccamaw, Nov. 22.
Whiteville, Chadbourn, Nov. 23, 24.
Bladen street, Nov. 27.
Market street, Nov. 28.
Kenansville, Charity, Nov. 29.
Magnolia, Providence, Nov. 30, Dec. 1.

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"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa, "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY. Price 50 cents. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Monroe *Journal*: Mr. J. C. Austin, of Burnsville township, Anson county, had the misfortune to lose his barn and stock by fire on Sunday morning before day. How the fire caught he does not know. A new wagon, a mule and a cow were lost, besides the barn, which was a large and good one, and a quantity of corn.

— Washington *Gazette*: A representative of the Globe Manufacuring Co., of Suffolk, Va., was here Friday to complete arrangements for moving their shirt factory here. All details were arranged satisfactorily. All that remains to be done now is to raise the money to put up the necessary building.

— Durham *Herald*: Superintendent C. W. Massey, of the county school board, has in his office figures showing the number of children in Durham county between the ages of 12 and 21 who cannot read or write. In this class there are 776—390 whites and 386 colored, the whites leading by four. The school census shows that there are 9,039 children, whites and colored, in the county. Of this number 5,926 are white and 3,113 are colored.

— Asheboro *Courier*: The enterprising citizens of Worthville established a public library in that town nearly seven years ago and there are now some 350 or more volumes of standard literature, biography, history, travel, etc, in the library. The library is very popular with all classes there. —— Twenty pointers, the majority with a world-wide reputation, and twelve setters with equally as fine a record as the pointers, belonging to Mr. W. Gould Brokaw, were sold at public auction on October 24th, in the American Horse Exchange, in New York. The total price realized was $3,345, or about $73 each, the highest price paid for any one being $300. All these dogs were from Fairview Park Kennels in Trinity township, this county.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: Deputy Sheriff B. E. Jones returned Monday night from Cumberland, Md., bringing with him Earnest Causey, who escaped from Guilford jail some time ago, Causey said he was willing to come back and gave the officer no trouble on the return trip. He was safely lodged in jail and will be shortly taken to the road force and put to work. —— One of Greensboro's prominent merchants told a *Telegram* reporter Monday night of a new swindling game worked on the public at the passenger station Saturday night. A young boy was selling small pins for five cents each and telling a touching story about himself. A man attired as though recently returned from the war, becoming sympathetic, addressed the bystanders in behalf of the boy, warmed up his talk by proposing to give the boy a nickel himself with each pin purchased by others. A number of people bought pins under the proposition, but the police finally put a stop to the operations at the depot.

TWINKLINGS.

— He—Women are a delusion and a snare. She—It is curious how people will hug a delusion, though.—*Fun.*

— "I see I must be more severe with you, Alfred. If you get home again late I'll dismiss the cook and begin doing the cooking again myself."—*Life.*

— Mrs. Dorcas—"What does your husband do during the summer?" Mrs. Gayboy—"That depends on whether I stay at home or go away to the country."—*Judge.*

— "Johnny, if you go swimming to-day I will whip you." Johnny—"Well, do it now, ma, so's I'll have it off my mind." (Tableaux).—*Philadelphia Enquirer.*

— Pastor—"I am pained to see, dear brother, that you will sleep in church on Sunday." Parishioner—"Of course. Why not! Isn't Sunday a day of rest?"—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Dinah—"What did the fortune teller say?" Sam—"She says I'm gwine ter hab a stroke ob luck befo' I die, an' if it doan' come true, she's gwine ter refun' de money!"—*Puck.*

— The Bachelor—I was at a dinder once at which there was thirteen at the table. She—Did anything happen! The Bachelor—Yes; two of them were married within a year.—*Puck.*

— Stubb—"Do you notice how the keeper of this hotel promotes love-making among his guests?" Penn—"Yes, he has found that people lose their appetites when in love."—*Chicago News.*

— Jags—"Doctor, my wife has insomnia very bad. She very often remains awake until 3 or 3 o'clock in the morning. What shall I do for her?" Doctor—"Go home earlier."—*Baltimore World.*

— What broke the Engagement: She—But I would never marry a man who loved me for my good looks. He—Of course not, dear. I never thought of such a thing.—*Chicago Record Herald.*

— Citizen—Madam, why do you persist in punching me with your umbrella? Madam—I want to make you look round, so that I can thank you for giving me your seat. Now, sir, don't you go off and say that women haven't any manners.—*Judge.*

— Diplomatic—"The earrings are very pretty," she said, with just a tinge of disappointment, "but the stones are very small." "But, my dear," replied the foxy man," "if they were any larger they would be all out of proportion to the size of your ears."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— The Irrepressible: "Will you have another dish of ice cream?" asked the mother of Johnnie, whose place was across from the invited guest that Johnnie's mother was entertaining for the day. "Well, yes, I b'lieve I will," said Johnnie; then he added, "bein's we don't have it more'n wunct a year.—*Ohio State Journal.*

— Knew Her Business: Uncle George—Clara, if you are wise, you will drop that young Scattergood. He's a spendthrift by instinct, and you never can count upon his taking care of his money. Clara—Don't be alarmed, Uncle George. If I can keep the engagement running for another year he won't have any money to take care of.—*Boston Transcript.*

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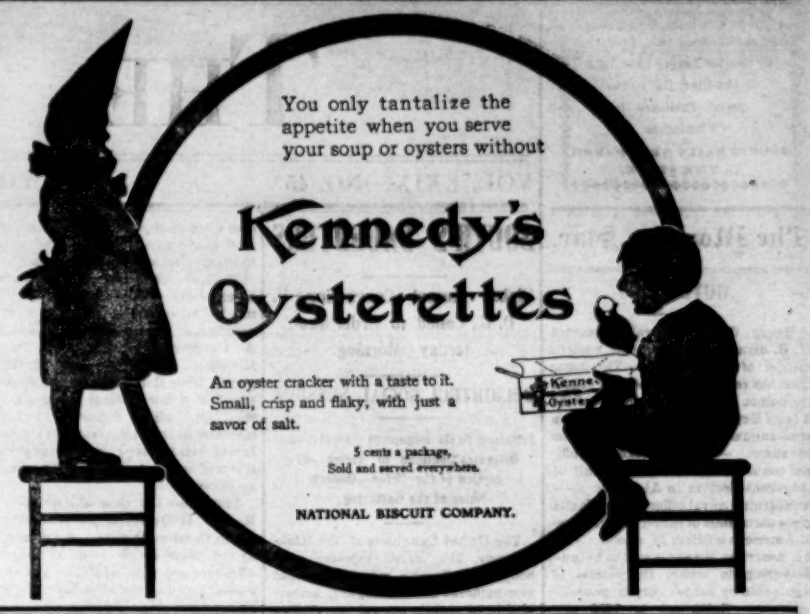
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WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing of the Produce Exchange.)

STAR OFFICE, November 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quiet at 35½c per gallon for machine made casks and 34½c per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel bid for strained and $1.00 per barrel bid for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market steady at $1.10 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip, and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 41½@40½c bid; rosin steady at $1 20@1.25; tar firm at $1.55; crude turpentine firm at $1.40 @2.40.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	84
Rosin	252
Tar	283
Crude turpentine	26

Receipts same day last year—202 casks spirits turpentine, 82 barrels rosin, 276 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4 13-16 cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	6 3-16 " "
Low middling	6 13-16 " "
Middling	7¼ " "
Good middling	7 11-16 " "

Same day last year, market firm at 9½c for middling.

Receipts—2,274 bales; same day last year, 1,385

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 70c. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 60@65c.

CORN—Firm; 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 19@13c; sides, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 18@19c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@28c; springs, 10@20c.

TURKEYS—Dressed, firm at 12½@15c; live, 9@10c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 40@50c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Money on call firm at 4@5 per cent., last loan at 5 per cent., ruling rate — per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼@487¾ for demand and at 484 @484¼ for sixty days. The posted rates were 484½@485 and 488. Commercial bills 483¼@483¾. Bar silver 57¼. Mexican dollars 45¾. Government bonds firmer. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds were irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 108¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd 108; do. coupon, 108¾; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 112¾; do. coupon, 112¾; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 107; coupon, 107; Southern Railway 5's 120½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 108¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 47½; Manhattan L 138¼; N. Y. Central 163½; Reading 44¾; do. 1st pref'd 78¼; do. 2nd pref'd 56; St. Paul 172; do. pref'd, 190; Southern R'way 33¾; do. pref'd 90; Amalgamated Copper 86¾; American Tobacco ——; People's Gas 103¾; Sugar 120¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63¾; U. S. Leather 12; do. pref'd, 81¼; Western Union 92; U. S. Steel 43½; do. preferred 93; Mexican National 13; Standard Oil 715@716; Virginia-Carolian Chemical Co., 63; do. preferred 123¼

BALTIMORE, Nov. 13—Seaboard Air Line, common, 27¾@27½; do. preferred, 51¾@51¾; do 4s 86@86¼.

Total sales of stock to day 479,600 shares.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $1 50. Spirits turpentine dull at 38@38¼c.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 13.—Spirits turpentine firm and unchanged. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 13.—Spirits turpentine quiet at 35½c; receipts 837 casks; sales — casks; exports 200 casks Rosin firm; receipts 2,988 barrels; sales — barrels; exports 9,118 barrels. Prices unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The cotton market opened steady, with prices four points higher to four points lower, and was whimsical all the forenoon in the absence of bull or bear leadership, on dominating influence of either type. The room sold out cotton bought late yesterday during the first hour and this pressure, in connection with light bear selling and some offerings from abroad, sent the market off to 7.41 for January. Large receipts, disappointing English cables and tame speculative support made the market very sensitive to selling of any determination. Soon after midday some of the more prominent bears became suspicious that the short interest was over-great for so small a market and that the young interest had been eliminated. A movement to cover started buying for scalpers' account and checked selling by smaller longs. Prices responded readily and in mid-afternoon January sold at 7.48 with other months correspondingly firm. Wall street and the South bought on the upturn while conservative room operators picked up a little cotton on the idea that Liverpool to-morrow will show an improvement as a result of the smaller receipts. Late official advices from Southern spot markets denoted a firm undertone and well sustained prices. The close was steady with prices net two points higher to three points lower.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Cotton quiet at 7 15-16c; net receipts 1,120 bales; gross 3,236 bales; stock 74,535 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 7 15-16c; middling gulf 8 3-16; sales 1,059 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady; November 7.43, December 7.47, January 7.46, February 7.43, March 7.41, April 7 41, May 7.40, June 7.41, July 7.41, August 7.30.

Total to-day—Net receipts 51,815 bales; exports to Great Britain 22,889 bales; exports to France 11,300 bales; exports to the Continent 4,082 bales; stock 747,600 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 227,887 bales; exports to Great Britain 124,633 bales; exports to France 11,608 bales; exports to the Continent 40,613 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 2,627,283 bales; exports to Great Britain 930,163 bales; exports to France 234,635 bales; exports to the Continent 708,270 bales.

Nov. 13—Galveston, firm at 7 7.16c. net receipts 10,326 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 2,391 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7¾c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 7 15-16c, net receipts 1,448 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¼c, net receipts 2,274 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 8 3-16c, net receipts 180 bales; Savannah, quiet at 7¾c, net receipts 8,237 bales; New Orleans steady at 7¾c, net receipts 19,537 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7½c, net receipts 810 bales; Memphis, steady at 7½c, net receipts 4,689 bales; Augusta, steady at 7½c, net receipts 2,306 bales; Charleston, steady at 7¼, net receipts 2,283 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Flour was irregular and about steady with little change; Minnesota patents $3 80@4 10. Wheat—spot steady; No. 2 red 82½c; options closed firm at a partial ½c net advance. Sales: May closed 80¾c; December 78¾c. Corn—spot market firm; No. 2, 67¼c; the options market closed strong at ¼@1c net advance. Sales included; May closed 66¾c; December 67c. Oats—spot firm; No. 2, 46c; options firmly held but quiet. Lard dull; Western steam $8 85; refined quiet; continent $9 05. Pork steady. Rice quiet. Tallow steady. Coffee—Spot Rio easy; No. 7 invoice 7c; mild, market easy; Cordova 7½@11c. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3½c; centrifugal 96 test, 3¾c; refined easy; standard A $4 70; confectioners' $4 70; powdered $5 00; granulated $4 90; crushed $5 40; mould A $5 25; cut-loaf $5 40; cubes $5 15. Butter strong; creamery 16½@24c; State dairy 14@22½c. Cheese firm and quiet; fancy large October 9¼@9¾c; fancy small October 9¼@9¾c. Eggs strong; State and Pennsylvania 26@27c. Potatoes steady; Jerseys $1 50@1 75; New York $1 25@2 12½; Long Island $2 00@2 25; Jersey sweets $1 50@1 75. Cabbage quiet; Long Island Flat Dutch, per 100, $2 00@3 00. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4@4½c; other domestic 2½@3½c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 13c. Cotton seed oil dull and barely steady at quotations: Prime crude barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 34½c; off summer yellow 34c; prime white 38@39c; prime winter yellow 38@39c; prime meal $25 00.

NORFOLK, Va., November 13.—Peanuts quiet and unchanged.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—A strong cash corn situation leading to bull activity helped all grains to day and December wheat closed ½c up, December corn 1½@1½c higher and December oats ½c higher. Provisions closed unchanged to 2½@5c lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Cash quotations: Flour quoted firm. Wheat—No. 3 spring 70@70¼c; No. 2 red 72¾@73¼c. Corn—No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow —c. Oats—No. 2 48@48¼c; No. 2 white 42¾@43¼c; No. 3 white 42¾@43¼c. No. 2 Rye 60¾c. Mess pork, per barrel, $13 80@13 90. Lard, per 100 lbs., $8 47¼@8 50. Short rib sides, loose, $7 80@7 95. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 20@8 30. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 31.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 71, 71¼, 71, 71¼c; December 71¾@71¾, 71¾@73, 71¾, 71¾c; May 75@75¼, 75¼, 74¾, 75¾. Corn—No. 2 November 58¾, 59¼, 58¾, 59¼c; December 58¾, 59⅝@58¾, 59¾, 58¾@58¾, 59¾; May 61¾@61¾, 62¾@62¾, 61¾, 62¾@62¾c. Oats—December 39, 39¼, 38¾, 39¾c; May 40¼, 40¾, 40, 40⅝c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $14 87½, 14 95, 14 87½, 14 95; May $15 10, 15 15, $15 05, 15 15. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $8 47½, 8 50, 8 47½, 9 50; January $8 55, 8 55, 8 47½, 8 52½; May $8 65, 8 67½, 8 63¾, 8 67½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $7 65, 7 70, 7 63¾, 7 70; May $7 80, 7 83¾, 7 75, 7 83¾.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 13, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices steady; American middling 4¼d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 800 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,000 bales American. Receipts 31,000 bales, including 24,600 bales American.

Futures opened and closed quiet; American middling (g. o. c.) November 4 2-64d buyer; November and December 4 2-64d buyer; December and January 4 1-64d buyer; January and February 4@4 1-64d seller; February and March 4 1-64d seller; March and April 4 1-64d seller; April and May 4 1-64d seller; May and June 4 1-64d buyer; June and July 4 1-64d buyer; July and August 4 1-64d buyer.

MARINE.

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Clyde steamship Oneida, Chichester, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 14, 1901.

STEAMSHIPS.

Tripoli, (Br) 1,687 tons, Barber, J H Sloan.
Wandby, (Br) 2,580 tons, Pearson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Polano, (Br) 1,898 tons, Holtum, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Hurworth, (Br) 1,520 tons, Galbraith, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Wragsby, (Br) 2,371 tons, Maxfield, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Warner Moore, 412 tons, Crockett, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Harold J McCarty, 397 tons, Flynn, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Ida C Schoolcraft, 847 tons, Robinson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Venus, 194 tons, Foxwell, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Charles Loring, 525 tons, Blatchford, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Amal, (Nor) 448 tons, Knudsen, Limerick, Heide & Co.

BRIGS.

Dixon Rice, 196 tons, Carty, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—567 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels crude turpentine.
W. C. & A. Railroad—1,047 bales cotton, 14 casks spirits turpentine, 69 barrels rosin, 76 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine.
C. C. Railroad—129 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 86 barrels rosin, 42 barrels tar.
A. & Y. Railroad—412 bales cotton, 13 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels tar.
W. & N. Railroad—108 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.
Steamer A. J. Johnson—4 bales cotton, 32 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 87 barrels tar.
Steamer Compton—9 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels tar.
Schooner Carolyn—73 barrels rosin.
Total—2,374 bales cotton, 84 casks spirits turpentine, 253 barrels rosin, 233 barrels tar, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

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September, 1900, 1,100,000	120,000
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FARM and GARDEN

ABOUT PLOWING.

Theory and Practice Illustrated and Described.

Much has been written from time to time as to why ground should be plowed and how plowing should be done to secure best results. Many sketches have been made showing the relative size, angle and lap of the average plow furrow, but these sketches seldom give a correct picture of the actual furrows

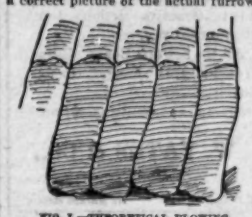

FIG. I.—THEORETICAL PLOWING.

as made by the average plow, says a Rural New Yorker writer in preface to the following:

Fig. 1 is a copy I have made of a sketch of the cross section of some plow furrows illustrated in a recent issue of an agricultural paper.

This was intended to show how some plows turned a furrow at too steep an angle. In reality no plow turns such a steep furrow in actual use. It is impossible to turn such furrows in ordinary plowing, and the sketch is simply a monstrosity or freak of the imagination of the writer, or artist. Stiff June grass sod can be turned up to almost stand on edge, as the figure indicates, provided the plow is adjusted to cut a narrow, deep furrow. But the sketch shows a shallow, wide furrow, and no farmer ever owned a plow that could "perform" that way, and no such plowing was ever "performed."

I have made Fig. 2 to show how such plowing as shown in Fig. 1 would "work out" if any plowman attempted the feat. Granted that the first five

FIG. II.—SUCH PLOWING IS IMPOSSIBLE.

furrows actually stand as shown in Fig. 1, the next furrow, A, of the same relative width and depth, is turned up and over by the plow, adjusted to cut and turn furrows of similar size. Where would it lie or stand? The dotted line indicates its position in cross section, and no plow or moldboard adjustment of any plow could possibly carry the sixth furrow, A, far enough to the right to stand it on edge beside the fifth furrow. The writer of the article is wrong in making a sketch showing such a relative impossibility and stating that much plowing is to be seen as indicated in Fig. 1.

How does the average plow turn or leave a furrow? I went into our cornfield a few weeks ago, when our man was plowing clover and timothy sod for corn. The plow used was and is a general favorite throughout the country. It was set to plow a furrow eight inches deep and fourteen inches wide. I took a spade and carefully cut out a vertical section of three furrows and took a photograph, as shown herewith. The picture shows just how a cross section of the average furrow looks. In

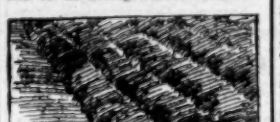

FIG. III.—PICTURE OF ACTUAL PLOWING.

reality there is but a slight "lap," the furrow lying not quite flat. The furrows shown in this picture are of the model variety.

The plow is a standard make for this section of country, with the proper width, height and curvature of moldboard.

The furrows illustrated are similar to those turned by a great many thousand farmers who read this paper. We use a jointer to turn under grass, manure and the upper inch and a half of surface soil, which leaves a perfectly clean furrow, as no trash can stick out. The moldboard in lifting and turning manipulates or agitates every cubic inch of the furrow, as the picture shows.

The whole process loosens and aerates the furrows and leaves them in fine condition for further operation thereon by means of the harrow and roller. The ideal soil for manipulation with these tools is a clay loam with a slight admixture of sand.

Items About Sugar Beets.

The sugar beet diseases thus far noted in Ohio are root blight or root rot, heart or dry rot, scab, crown gall and bacteriosis, attacking the roots, and leaf spot, attacking the leaves.

For scab and bacteriosis it is suggested to avoid infected lands. The same may apply with respect to crown gall.

For leaf spot it is recommended to use bordeaux mixture and to add arsenites for the commoner insect troubles.

How to Clean Cane Chairs.

To clean cane chairs wash the cane on the underside with salt and water; then rub the upper surface with a cut lemon dropped in salt and then with plain lemon juice. Dry in the open air if possible, but safe from the rays of the sun.

How to Keep Cut Flowers.

A Japanese plan by which cut flowers may be made to last an abnormally long time is to burn the ends of the stems with a piece of wood—not with a match, be it observed, for the sulphur would be injurious to the flowers.

Patience Does the Trick.

When you know you are on the right track, do not let any failures dim your vision or discourage you, for you cannot tell how close you may be to victory. Have patience and stick, stick, stick, in spite of every hindrance. A Chinese student became so discouraged by repeated failures that he threw his book away in despair. While in this despondent mood he saw a poor woman rubbing an iron rod on a stone to make a needle. Struck by the wonderful patience of the woman, he went back to his studies with new determination and became one of the greatest scholars in China.—Success.

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A SIMPLE TROUGH.

One Ton Can Make Yourself, and Will Do For Water or Food.

I have a feed trough which I made myself out of a piece of galvanized iron. It is three and one-half feet long. To make it, get two pieces of wood and shape them to fit the inside of the trough for the ends as shown in the diagram. Nail well with lath nails. If you want one for water, make it shorter and before putting the end pieces on paint a piece of cloth and place between the end pieces and the trough. Then after you have your end pieces on, get a piece of lath just long enough to fit between the ends and nail it lengthwise just above the level of the trough. This will keep the chick-

THE SWINGING TROUGH.

ens out of the water. Put two eyes on the top of the end pieces to hang it by. Drive stakes in the ground just far enough apart to let the trough swing. Put pins in the top of the stakes to fit the eyes on the end pieces of the trough. The top of the trough should be about six inches above the ground. You can use your judgment about painting it. If you do, put some water in it and let it stand about a day before allowing the chickens access to it.—Subscriber in Poultry Keeper.

How to Make Spanish Soup.

Boil an onion with a slice of green pepper. Press through the colander, add milk and a tablespoonful each of flour and butter rubbed together.

How to Remove Mildew.

Mildew can be removed by dipping the spots in buttermilk and then bleaching them in the sunshine.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long, writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Susan H. Meginty and J. M. Galloway, plaintiffs against J. W. Monk, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said decree will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, November the 25th, 1901, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., at 12 o'clock M., the following subdivisions of land constituting one tract:

1st.—A tract beginning on the north side of the plank road leading from Wilmington to Scott's Hill at a stake on a tract of land formerly owned by J. L. Keen, and runs on the plank road and running thence down said road S. 73 W. 210 feet to a stake by the side of said road; thence N. 5 W. 420 feet to a stake in said Keen's line; thence N 78 E 210 feet to a stake in said Keen's line, and thence with said line to the beginning, containing two acres.

2nd.—Another tract on the east side of Green's Mill Pond, beginning at the southwest corner of a tract of land formerly owned by John K. Currie on the north side of the plank road and running thence north 17 W. 60 poles to a stake; thence S. 78¾ E. and parallel with the plank road 53¼ poles; thence S. 17 E. 60 poles to the plank road, and thence S. 77¾ W. 30½ poles, to the beginning, corner of J. K. Currie's line.

3rd.—Another tract beginning at a stake on the old Newbern road, and running thence with said road N. 87 W. 25 poles to a stake; thence S. 85½ E. 10½ poles to the plank road; thence with the plank road N. 77¾ E. 20 poles to a stake and thence to the beginning.

4th.—Another tract one and one-half miles from the City of Wilmington, between the Newbern road and the plank road, beginning in the southern line of the Newbern road at the northwest corner of a tract of land conveyed by S. A. Currie to Thomas Monk and running thence with Monk's line S. 5 E. 20 chains and ten links to the corner of a tract of land formerly owned by one Lamb; thence with Lamb's line S. 81 W. 4 chains and 83 links; thence with another of Lamb's lines S. 5 E. 6 chains and fifty links to the plank road; thence S. 79 W. ten chains and fifty links to a small pine, Monk's corner of a 25-acre tract purchased from T. H. Smith; thence N. 16½ W. 30 chains and 58 links, to the beginning; containing 49 1-10 acres.

5th.—Another tract beginning at the east end of the plank road bridge, as it formerly stood—high water mark—Hill W. King's line, and running thence with his line—high water mark—northwardly to the end of a big ditch near where the butcher pen stood; thence westwardly and parallel with the plank road to the run or creek of the mill pond; thence southwardly with the meanderings of said Green's mill pond, run or creek to the line of the plank road bridge, as formerly stood and thence eastwardly with said line of said bridge to the beginning, containing by estimation two acres.

6th.—And one other tract, beginning at a point on the eastern shore of Green's mill pond, and running thence N. 83 E. 6 chains to Monk's corner; thence N. 15 W. 30 chains and 66 links to the Newbern road; thence with said road to the mill pond, and thence with the meanderings of the mill pond to the beginning at the plank road bridge, containing by estimation 30 acres. Said subdivisions to be sold as one entire tract.

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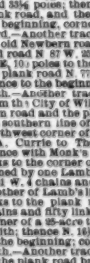

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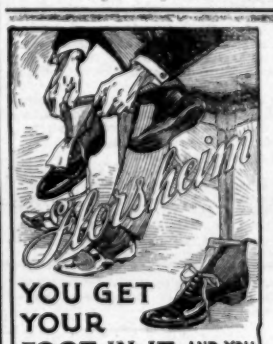

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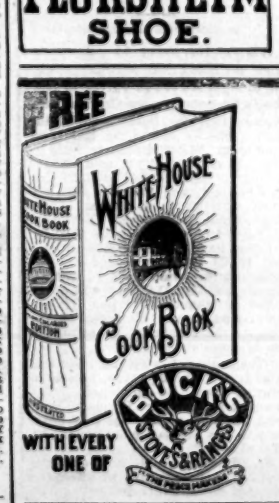

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Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.15 a m

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Ar Portsmouth	7.00 a m	5.50 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10.55 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.04 a m	10.57 a m
Ar Norlina	3.16 a m	12.55 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.45 a m	3.45 p m
Ar Richmond	6.32 a m	4.31 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	7.05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.26 p m
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Time Table No. 16.

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GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 35	.....
.....	4 20	Kinston	10 12	.....
6 40	4 50	Wilson	9 27	9 00
7 25	7 00	Morehead City	7 35	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 8.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.20 P. M. No. 3 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.53 A. M., Goldsboro 12.20 P. M., Wilson 1.19 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M., Weldon 4.30 P. M., Petersburg 5.58 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Norfolk 8.5 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.01 A. M., Philadelphia 3.20 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.0 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.27 P. M., Wilson 10.50 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.22 P. M., Weldon 1.30 A. M., †Norfolk 1.10 P. M., Petersburg 2.42 A. M., Richmond 3.30 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.32 A. M., New York 1.00 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.35 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.55 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.26 P. M., Sumter 9 13 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 8.52 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.30 P. M., Charleston 11.13 P. M., Savannah 2.4 A. M., Jacksonville 5.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10 50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.35 P.M., leave Fayetteville 12.50 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 9.15 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.30 P. M., New York *3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 10.30 A. M., Baltimore 8.32 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.40 A. M., Norfolk 3.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.31 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 4.40 P. M., Goldsboro 5.05 P. M., Warsaw 4.58 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M. Pee Dee 7.06 P. M., daily.

DAILY 9.25 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.30 night, New York 3.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.23 A. M., Baltimore 1.45 P. M., Washington 3.12 P. M., Richmond 6.57 P. M., Petersburg 7.43 P. M., †Norfolk 3.30 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., †Tarboro 6.58 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 8.57 A. M., Goldsboro 9.40 A. M., Warsaw 7.30 A. M., Magnolia 7.25 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 12.30 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.28 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 2.00 A. M., Augusta 2.20 P. M., Denmark 4.20 P. M., Columbia 9.40 A. M., Sumter 6.50 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 11.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.05 P. M. P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.50 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.18 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.15 P. M., Halifax 5.00 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.50 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.30 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 6.00 A. M. and 3.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.58 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M. and 8.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 12 30 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.25 P. M.; Sunday, 4.16 P. M.; arrives Pitt mouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.35 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3.30 A. M., 2.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M., 4.00 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.00 M., 5.25 P. M. Arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M., Latta 6.44 P. M. Pee Dee 7.06 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.00 P. M., leave Chadbourn 5.20 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Kired 8.10 A. M., returning leave Kired 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.10 P. M., Manning 6.46 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.30 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.37 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., *7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., *9.30 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M., *4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 9.00 A. M., *9.30 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 10.35 A. M., Bennettsville 11.30 A. M. Returning leaves Bennettsville 12.30 P. M., Cheraw 1.10 P. M., Hartsville 1.35 P. M., Darlington 2.02 P. M.; arrive Florence 2.30 P.

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 14.

MYSTERIOUS MURDERS IN EVANSVILLE, IND.

Two Women Found Dead By the Roadside—Both Victims Evidently Choked to Death—No Clue.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

EVANSVILLE, IND., NOV. 13.—All the efforts of the entire police and detective forces of this city to find a clue to the murderer or murderers of two women, whose dead bodies were found lying in ditches by the roadside in opposite directions from this city yesterday, have proved unavailing. Several suspects are under surveillance, but developments have not been sufficient to warrant the police in making arrests.

While it is evident that both victims were killed about the same hour Tuesday night, it is still believed the women were slain by the same fiend.

The body of Mrs. Georgia Bailey was found near the city beside a public highway. There were finger marks on the throat. The neck was broken. The supposition is that the woman was choked to death by some one in a buggy and then when she fell out her neck was broken. There were evidences of the body having been dragged some distance and thrown into a ditch.

A mile outside the city, but in an opposite direction, the body of Miss Lena Renner was discovered by searchers. Her throat also bore finger marks, showing the manner of death similar to that of Mrs. Bailey.

John Kifer, who was seen with Miss Renner, was arrested, but he proved an alibi and was released.

The similarities of these two murders to two others in this city during the last three years forms another strange incident of the case.

ASSEMBLING AT FORT WORTH

The Advance Guard of the W. C. T. U. Convention Which Is to Meet There To-morrow.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FORT WORTH, NOV. 13.—The advance guard of the National W. C. T. U. Convention which is to meet here Friday, arrived to-day. The party is headed by Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, national president, Portland, Me., and Miss Anna A. Gorden, vice president, Evanston, Ill.

Other officials here are Mrs. Clara Hoffman, recording secretary, Kansas City; Mrs. F. E. Beacham, assistant recording secretary, Lexington, Ky.; Miss M. A. Powderly, Portland, Me.; Miss Cornelia M. Dow, corresponding secretary for Maine, Portland, Me., and Mrs. Eliza B. Ingalls, St. Louis, national superintendent of the non-narcotic department of the society. Speaking of the forthcoming convention, Mrs. Stevens said:

"This is the first time for many years, the union has met in the South. I anticipate a pleasant and profitable convention. Although there is in the national treasury only $536, which is less than last year, there has been much progress in all directions."

A meeting of the official board and superintendents of division was held this morning and the executive board, composed of State presidents, superintendents and organizers, conferred during the afternoon.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

Holland's Ruler Said to Be Suffering From Premature Confinement.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—The *Kolnische Zeitung* to-day says that the Queen of Holland is suffering from premature confinement, adding that there is no cause for alarm.

The *Vossische Zeitung* says it learns that Queen Wilhelmina was prematurely delivered of a child November 10th, and that the Queen's condition is satisfactory.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 13.—The officials here refuse to confirm or deny the report of the *Kolnische Zeitung* regarding the health of Queen Wilhelmina. A gynecological expert, Prof. Halbertma, has been called in.

FOR OCEAN TRADE.

Steel Steamer Minnetonka, at Cleveland, Ohio, Practically Completed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, O., November 13.—The steel steamer Minnetonka, probably the largest vessel ever built on fresh water for ocean trade, has practically been completed at the yard of the American Shipbuilding Company here. She is 443 feet over all, breadth of beam 43.7 feet, and has quadruple expansion engines. The Minnetonka will be cut in two and towed in halves to Newport News where she will be welded together again.

The cutting in two process is necessary because the canal locks between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario are only large enough to accommodate a boat 250 feet long.

IN THE FEDERAL COURT.

A Large Number of Cotton Seed Oil Mill Officials Indicted.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSON, MISS., November 13.—The Federal grand jury of the United States Court of the Southern District of Mississippi to-night indicted a large number of cotton seed oil directors and other cotton seed oil officials, alleging violations of the Federal statutes of July 2d, 1900. The indictments allege that the oil mill officials have conspired in writing to control the prices of cotton seed and cotton seed products.

Three white men Tuesday night blew open a safe in a store near Macon, Ga., and secured $300 in money. Giant powder was used.

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DETAILS OF THE SAMAR MASSACRE.

Story Told By a Naval Officer On His Way Home From Manila.

NATIVES HAD BEEN FRIENDLY

And the Guard Was Not Strictly Kept—Massacre Began at Daylight When the Church Bell Rang—Americans Fought Like Heroes.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

VICTORIA, B. C., November 13.—Lieutenant F. P. Allison, U. S. N., who arrived here on board the steamer Empress of China, on the way home from Manila, gives some interesting details of the recent massacre of the members of the Ninth infantry at Samar. Lieutenant Allison says the natives had grown to like the colored troops who had been stationed there and when the Ninth arrived it was thought by the American troops that the same friendly feeling would be shown to them, and the guard was not as strictly kept as it otherwise would have been. The night before the massacre the village president came to Captain Connell and before the padre declared that it would take one hundred more bombres (native laborers) to do certain pioneer work. He did not have the men and begged the indulgence of the army captain.

Honest and true in the legitimate discharge of his duty Captain Connell said: "Do the best you can. Get any natives who will work, but clear away the underbrush."

"Just after daybreak the natives with bolos to cut underbrush began coming into camp. Then the massacre began. The last underbrush man killed the sentry; the church bell rang, the soldiers went to breakfast below the floor that held their arms. The insurgents divided. Half went upstairs and shot down and the other half went to the mess room and murdered the unarmed soldiers by force of numbers.

"Not one of the survivors turned his back upon the scene of carnage until all was lost, their officers fallen, their comrades slaughtered and a terrible vengeance executed upon the enemy. Then they saved themselves and their wounded mates.

"Captain Connell apparently was awakened in his quarters by the attackers pouring in. He was alone, so he jumped from the window down in among his guards, but they had all been slaughtered. He was struck down by many bolos almost as soon as he struck the ground. Not satisfied with killing him, the assassins hacked his body and severed the head, upon which they piled paper and sticks of wood, setting them on fire to render the face unrecognizable. The body, however, was identified by Lieutenant Drouillard's detachment, which came down from Basey.

The bodies of Lieutenant Bumpus and the doctor were found upon a bridge leading up to the quarters, over a little stream. The lieutenant had a bolo cut horisontally across the forehead, almost severing the top of the head, and a deep gash down each side of the face, so that when his body was picked up the face was practically severed from the rest of the head. The doctor's body was not so badly mutilated.

Separated from their weapons, most of the rank and file fought like heroes with table-knives, stones, clubs and such rude weapons as chance threw in their way.

It was a bitter fate that befell those who closed with the Americans before they had received their death wounds. Some of the native dead were buried by their own crew before they fled, but Col. de Russy ordered 160 more to be thrown into a trench.

A rifle in the hands of the first sergeant of the company rendered a terrible account. The sergeant who is now in the Tocabian hospital, killed the faithless presidente who led the attack. With six men he fought his way to the headquarters building to see if they could rescue or pick up a stricken comrade. Despite the mad rushes of the savages that surrounded them, they were able to secure the post colors. Then they cut their way back to the beach, where another little knot of comrades were defending the baratos and their wounded companions.

Lieut. Allison says there are seven thousand troops in Samar. He says there have been a number of filibustering expeditions fitted out in Singapore and Hong Kong, mostly by Germans, which in some cases have succeeded in landing their contraband arms and ammunition, but many captures have been made by the gunboats.

ALABAMA'S ELECTION.

It Will Take the Offical Count to Determine Definitely the Result.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., November 13.—The returns from the election for the ratification or the rejection of the new constitution are not coming in as rapidly as expected. It will take the official count in each county on Saturday to definitely determine the result. Chairman Oscar Underwood, of the Democratic State campaign committee, adheres to his claim of 27,000 majority, and Chairman Shelly of the anti ratification committee, claims that he has a majority of 20,000. It appears probable that the majority for ratification of the new constitution will be about 25,000, or may be as low as 20,000; but it does not seem that it will be less than that.

SEALE, ALA., Nov. 13.—S. W. Peppers, returning officer for Crawford Beat, while en route to Seale with the ballot box containing the returns of the recent election, was held up at the point of a revolver and the ballot box taken from him. The highwayman wore a mask and his identity is unknown. He retreated to the woods near by where a search later revealed the ashes and pieces of the ballot box and papers which had been burned. This is a capital offence in this State.

AN UNRULY CREW.

Complaints of the Master of the Schooner Edward P. Avery.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 18.—The captain of the schooner Edward P. Avery, Fernandina for New York, in Tybee roads, came to the city to-day and reported that the crew of his vessel had become unruly and unmanageable. They declined to obey the captain's orders, and while they had not mutinied they had come too near to it to make it comfortable for the commander. He, therefore, sought the advice of United States Commissioner Reyals. The men, it is said, have damaged the vessel by having cut up the pump and otherwise injured her. An officer was sent down this afternoon to bring the unruly men to the city.

TERRIFIC GALE ON THE COAST OF GREAT BRITAIN.

Torrential Rains—Disastrous Floods—Many Vessels Wrecked and Hundreds of Lives Lost.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, November 13.—The gale which has been sweeping over Great Britain and Ireland for the past two days continues unabated at many coast points. Over the Welch lowlands the torrential rains are increasing, causing disastrous floods. Reports of wrecks and casualties continue to flow in. The death list, made up of threes and fours, has an aggregate approaching one hundred.

The mail boat, Nord, from Dover, for Calais, which last night ran down the lightship off the works of the new Dover pier, has succeeded in returning to Dover. The mails and passengers are safe. The crew of the lightship was also landed this morning, after passing a terrible night at sea in a small boat.

The revenue cutter Active has been wrecked in the Firth of Forth. Twenty-three of her crew were drowned and three were saved.

The British steamer Stelvio has been beached at Dover. She is high and dry across the parade.

Early to day a French bark struck off Hendon. Nineteen of the crew were drowned.

Numerous other wrecks have been reported, but the weather, in most cases, prevents the identification of the craft. Two vessels in distress were sighted last evening off Dungeness, but the weather was so severe that the lifeboat was unable to put out to their assistance. This morning one of them sailed. The other, a steamer, reached West bay, where a tug is now standing by her.

The Norwegian barque Inga, Captain Olsen, has been totally wrecked at Tynemouth, and sixteen members of her crew have been lost.

The Swedish barque Trio was driven ashore this afternoon at West Hartlepool, Durham, and was broken up. Three of her crew were washed ashore alive while the remaining seven were drowned in sight of thousands of spectators powerless to help them. All attempts at rescue with rockets carrying life-saving lines failed.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 13.—A terrible gale and snow storm, lasting for the past twelve hours, has done great damage throughout Denmark. There are five feet of snow here. Eight vessels are reported drifting ashore, two have been wrecked and many lives have been lost.

A CAVE-IN IN MISSOURI.

Entire Mining Plant of the Aurora Company Swallowed Up.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JOPLIN, MO., Nov 13.—In a cave-in at Oronogo, near here, to-day, the entire plant of the American Milling Company, one of the greatest zinc producers in the district, was swallowed up. No lives were lost. The plant comprised a hundred ton mill, office building and engine house, all of which were engulfed, together with six gravel cars, and an immense tailing pile. On entering the ground a short time before the cave-in occurred, workmen heard the timbers cracking and signalled to be drawn up. The last man had reached the surface only a few minutes before the timbers collapsed, the earth yielded and with a crash the whole plant sank into the abyss. Further caving is feared and work in that vicinity has been suspended. It is impossible to estimate the damage.

WARM WIRELETS.

The earnings of the Central of Georgia railway for the first week in November show an increase over the same week last year of $12,000.

A race train special for Savannah, Ga., and Charleston, S. C., will leave Louisville, Ky., next Monday. The Charleston meeting will run indefinitely.

The American Sugar Refining Company has reduced the price of soft grades of refined sugar ten points, to meet the cut made by the independent refiners.

A London dispatch says the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks Beach, contemplates the imposition of a further tax of one-half penny per pound upon sugar.

The appointment of Henry Clay McDowell to be U. S. District Judge of the Western district of Virginia, which was agreed upon Tuesday, was announced formally yesterday.

According to mail advices received from Manila by the Empress of China, Judge O'Neill, an American lawyer, is engaged in endeavoring to secure release of Aguinaldo by habeas corpus proceedings.

Directors of the Adams Express Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of $2 per share and an extra dividend of $2 per share out of income from investment, which was the same as declared last year.

The Schley court of inquiry met yesterday and continued its consideration of the evidence submitted to it during the trial of the case. No information is obtainable concerning the progress of the work.

Powers' theatre, the Grand Rapids, Mich., was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The property loss amounts to about $100,000. E. W. Warrenton, an employe, was suffocated and several persons were overcome by smoke.

Gov. Jelks, of Alabama, last night ordered the military company at Troy to proceed at once to Ozark to protect Pharoah Parramore, a negro, from being lynched. Parramore is charged with having committed an assault upon a white woman.

The following announcements have been made of engagements of gold for export at New York: Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Company, $1,000,000; Goldman, Sachs & Company, $1,050,000; United States Mortgage and Trust Company, $500,000; Lazard Freres, $1,000,000; National City Bank, $1,000,000. Total, $4,550,000.

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JEFFRIES-RUHLIN FIGHT TO-MORROW

The Odds Still Ten to Four and No Ruhlin Money Is to Be Seen.

ALL PREPARATIONS END D.

Harry Corbett to Act As Referee—Both Men in Good Condition and Confident of Winning—Sharkey and Jeffries May Fight Later.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—While interest grows in Friday's Jeffries-Ruhlin fight, the odds are still ten to four, and no Ruhlin money is to be seen. Both the champion and the "Akron Giant" were visited at their quarters to-day by admiring throngs.

The men have practically ended their preparations for the contest. Very light exercise was all that they gave themselves to-day. To-morrow morning a short ramble will be the last work they will take and Friday will see them in the hands of the trainers and rubbers.

Harry Corbett, who will act as referee, said to-night that the public could be assured, as far as he is concerned, that the men will fight from the moment they go into the ring until one or the other is declared the victor.

"There is to be no hugging in clinches," he said. "The people who patronize boxing have grown tired of disgusting exhibitions of hanging-on and it is about time an end was put to it. Of course a referee cannot prevent the fighters from coming together in a clinch, but I want it understood from the beginning that when I give the word, Jeffries and Ruhlin are to break. The man who hangs on after that will be watched, and if he tries to save his strength in this manner, with a full understanding of the warning he has received, let him and his backers abide by the decision."

Jeffries was asked to-day for an estimate of the length of the fight.

"Well," he said, "I known that Ruhlin has not been standing still since I met him last. He has improved very much and I have a n idea that he will bore in from the jump. Maybe I'll stop him in the first round; maybe the second, but really I don't think it will last longer than fifteen."

The same question was put to Ruhlin.

"I feel strong," he said, "as well as I ever did in my life. I feel as though I can fight and fight hard, but is the best man that wins and how can one tell now but that Jeffries is the best? Of course I don't think so, but I would not want to say that the fight would go five rounds or ten rounds, or that I could polish him off in one, though I may prove my ability to do so."

Two San Francisco physicians examined Jeffries this morning, just after he finished his road work, and they pronounced him to bein superb condition. His heart action was strong and regular, which taken with his general health, indicated to their minds the possession of an ability to the limit of human endurance.

Another physician said the same thing about Ruhlin. He found his pusle 46, which the medical men declared to be a marvel. The champion's pulse is regular at 50.

Billy Delaney, acting for Jeffries, has made arrangements with the San Francisco Athletic Club to bring about a meeting between him and Sharkey on December 20th in the event of Champion Jeffries beating Ruhlin. Sharkey is expected to arrive Friday morning and if the outcome of the big battle is favorable to the proposition he will go into training immediately.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

British War Secretary Says the Government Intends to Send Fresh Troops to the Front.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, November 13.—Mr. Broderick, the British war secretary, speaking to night at a banquet given in London in his honor by the Carlton Club, declared that the Boers were hiding their tracks by murdering Kaffirs behind them. "Lord Kitchener wired to day," he said, "that the cold-blooded murder of natives had become frequent of late, and that two dead natives, with their hands tied behind their backs, were found November 10th at the bottom of a mine shaft."

Later, he said, Great Britain now had 42,000 Boers in custody in the concentration camps and on various islands, and that 11,000 more had been killed or wounded, or had left the country on parole. He added that he believed the number of Boers now in the field was about 10,000.

"The country has set its teeth and intends to go through the process of wearing down," he exclaimed. "We intend to provide Lord Kitchener with fresh troops to replace the tired ones. Only to-day a certain colony made an offer of help."

Mr. Broderick said he was sorry anything had happened to affect the career of Sir Redvers Buller, and he assured the company that the deafness of Sir Evelyn Wood was not a bar to the work that officer had to do as commander of an army corps.

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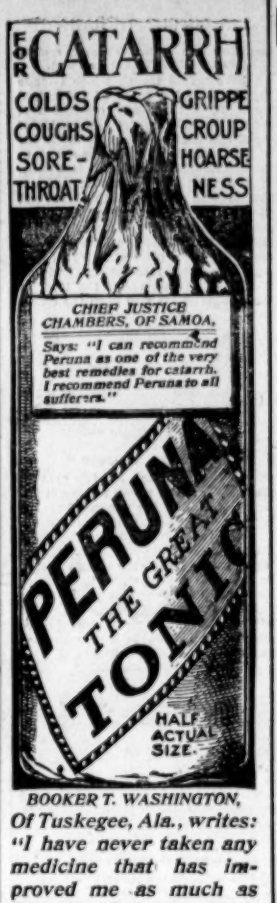
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